Old and Beautiful City Near the Border May Be Batle Scene Soon.

### CHAIN OF FORTS SURROUNDS CITY

### Weddings Numerous and Inexpensive In London; Few Wedding Gifts Now

London, Eng. Jone 1.—There is naturally same disappointment in the minds of activity mothers that there is no season this our in London. Everything is by no means out, however, for though there is no season. Many engagements originate in the short leave young officers get from Flanders, and are terminated at the next. Several have been the direct outcome of musing at home tradical and the conventional chapered has found herself supersoled by the major of a private house, and has had to make the state. His two sisters are married to two flavor ones, and has had to make the heat of it. In the midst of the grim small-ties of war, society girls have asserted their right to mairs for the things that matter instead of the shims.

Another superfluity that has entirely disappeared it the wedding present. War holders have had tokens from tots nearest and dearest and have gone without the first to the right to maters for the thing flat matter instead of the shims.

Provides Homes For Children Of the War others. Marriage is the real thing just form.

Destroyed Villages
Rebuilt While Noise
Of Battle Is Heard

Paris, France, June 5—Reconstruction of destroyed villages in the lower part of the Aronne has commenced within hearing of the devastation that continues further north. The work is directed by a cooperative society of carpenters, "Les Charpentiers de Paris," Sidders and peasants are doing a great deal of the work and thus learning a trade while providing shelfer for returning refugees. The prefect of the department of the Meure has arranged with the cooperative society of the direction of temporary dwellings, stores, barra and sinbles so as to permit the earliest possible return of the inhabitants at all points out of reach of the long range guns.

Children Of the War is a national Chench growth of the movement called "Orphane of the War" is a national Grench association for "Protection of Families of Those Who Have Died for Their Country." One section of the sassociation has developed under the name of "The Fraiernal Union of Children of the Great War."

This association invites every child in France beloaging to a family in easy circumstances to adopt as brother or state a little boy or girl of the same age, and if possible having the same (the child, while at the same time surrounding it with all the security and comfort of family life.

This patriotic movement is under the movement is under the direction of Monsieur Fleurens, former minister of foreign affairs.

Many Eager to Go From the Turns Lung Tissues Into Tropics to Bleak Northern Land Contract.

### WARNING GIVEN BY GOVERNMENT

Panama, June 5.—Many of the workers on the Panama canal after several years of tropical life are auxious to go to Alaska where the United States government is under

are anxious to go to Alaska where the United States government is undertaking to build a railroad. A short time are when it. P. Warren, representing the Alaskan railway commission arrived on the Isthmus to purchase machinery no longer uneful on the canal work, he was swamped with applications for positions in Alaska.

Not An Ensy Job.

Many of the canal workers are tired of the tropics, or what is the same, believe they are and are willing to risk the ripors of an Alaskan winter for the sake of change. Immediately after his arrival, however, Mr. Warren made it plain that there would not be many positions are far from easy and that he construction gang would not find the same treatment in Alaska. Hat ilving conditions are far from easy and that he construction gang would not find the same government. Positions are going to be scarre for awhile, he made because not nearly so large a force will be needed as was employed at Panama. The government already has sent out a warning against any trush into the territory lish season as the work by no means justifies one. Mareover, the great majority of the workers will have to be prepared to return to the United States each fall as the winters are so sever that little outside work can be done.

Canal Locomotives for Alaska.

Many of the locomotives for Alaska.

### Indian Queen's Jewels, Worth \$250,000, Stolen; \$10,000 Reward Offered

## Belgian Red Cross Defies German Ruler -:||:- -:||:- -:||:- -:||:-

### Funds Of Society Seized In Revenge

BY LA RACONTEUSE.

PARIS. France, June 5.—The news nounced that as Belgium is occupied by comes here from Brussels that governor von Blasing has deprived the Belgian Red Cross of its funds, which may no longer be used to assist wounded. Belgian soldiers back to health.

The governor, to tell the truth, did not set out on a dark night armed with jimmy and flashight and the other paraphernalia of the ordinary cracksone, to burst open the safe of the society, but adopted a leas risky and more efficient way.

The Belgian Bed Cross society was founded in 1922 and its by-laws say that it time of war if must devote all its funds to assist wounded Belgian soldiers and must in every way cooperate with the Belgian military authorities. Its charter would be forfeited if the funds were used for any other papear.

Governor Von Blasing sent a letter to the administrative committee of the Red. Cross society in which he an-

Liquid, Causing Slow, Torturing Death.

### NO HOPE FOR THE MEN IT TOUCHES

Nat Gen, Edward Stunrt-Wortley, commander of a British army corps in Prance, is made public here by his brother, Ralph Stuart-Wortley, of New York, giving this distinguished officer's tribute to the behavior of a Canadian division in France, and describing the horrors which resulted from the use of

change."

Is Friend of Emperor.

Gen. Stoart-Wortley was formerly on terms of considerable intimacy with emperor William of Germany. A few summers ago, when the superor was ordered by his physicians to spend some weeks at the English seashers, the general placed his country seat, on the Hampshire coast, at the emperor's disposal.

### Goerz, Objective Of Big Italian Army, Is Key To Rich Austrian Provinces

Washington, D. C., June 5.—Goers, an important Austrian railway conter, toward which a great Italian army is reported to be developing a powerful offensive. Is a key position, commercial and military, to the Austrian provinces around the head of the Adrianic.

its winter resorts in the dual monarchy.

"It is about 29 miles from Goerz to the Italian froather. The place is a center of trunkline railways to the Italian cities of Venice in the southwest and Undine in the northwest, and to the Austrian cities of Triest in the southeast and Khagenfurt in the north. It is about 12 miles from the Golf of Triest and 250 miles from the Golf of Triest and 250 miles by rail southwest of Vienna.

"In population, Goerz is an Italian city, more than two-thirds of its 25,000 inhabitants being Italian speaking. A large part of the remainder are Slovenes, and the sprinkling of Hungarians and Germans, the dominant dual monarchy races, is an insignificant element. However, at one time it was almost solely populated by Germans, but the Italian and the Slav have pressed north and the German has been gradually displaced."

### Warring Nations Buy Heavily Of New Rifle Made in United States

London, Eng., June 5.—France has just sandered one million more riflus and amonated and million more riflus and amonated states; Russia has given another huge order for shells in the United States; Japan and Canada have entered more rifles and amonated canada have entered more rifles and amonated have called have called his given another huge order for shells in the United States; Japan and Canada have entered more rifles and amonated cards at all to praise their splendid effects."

Unges Silence.

The "Koelniache Zeitung goes farther still and advises all Germans writing to friends abroad to say nothing writing to friend abroad to say nothing wintered and advises all dermans writing to friend abroad to say nothing whatever about the financial and economic conditions.

# SWITZERLANDMAYBEINVADED



able to maintain its neutrality? Will she, moreover, be able to feed her people and her many meets when all nations which surround her are locked in life and death struggles?

Bread Made of Wood Pulp and Straw Found Nutritious and Palatable.

# NO BREAD FAMINE IN GERMANY, CLAIM

By STEVEN BURNETT, Burlin, Germany, Jun 5.—War bread has now been followed by

bread made from straw and finally ground wood pulp invented by pro-lessors Friediander and Haberlandt.

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The Haberlandt bread is made from a dough containing 50 percent fine sawdust. The professor's theory is that during winter trees store up a great quantity of sugar, oils fat and a small percentage of albumen, and they young branches and twigs are eminently fit for human consumption.

Experiments with substitutes for flour have created a very strong impression upon the minds of women, so strong indeed that the military commander in chief at Munster has published the following official notice: "The commander of the Seventh Germany army district advises the population to obey the orders issued through the civil authorities.

Letters Cause Asseyance, "We are informed that many wives writing to their husbands have expressed the fear that articles of food and especially bread will run short in Germany and that they will have to starve. The husbands who are at the front have been greatly worried by such letters and have been asking themselves if all the sacrifices they have made are in valu.

It is very much to be regretted that the wives of soldiers should have written such letters, especially as they do not agree with the facts. Thanks to this bread carris thure is now no reason to fear that we shall run short of bread before the new harvest is in and until then bread will be no higher in price than it is.

For this reason we ask wives writ-

Plan Already Outlined.

might attempt to seize the St. Gothard tunnel.

Plan Already Outlined.

Switzerland being a mountainous country, the action of francstireours would be particularly dangerous to the progress of our troops and convoys.

The methods used in Belgium are evidently to be repeated, for the plan dwells on "the necessity to punish with the fullest rigor any breach of the peace by the population, which would have to be kept quiet by means of wholesale executions. The Swiss being excellent marksmen, the greatest care should be taken to disarm the population. Every inhabitant found in the possession of a rifle must be shot, irrespective of age or sex, and his house razed to the ground. The hostages of the particular town or village where he resides must be dealt with in the same way."

Germany is feared, too, because of the well known Teutonic policy of always striking first. It is improbable that Germany will allow Italy to pound at the barriers of Austria without attempting a lightning offensive such as carried Von Kiuck to the gaten of Paris in August and such as has so often resulted in the crushing defeat of Russian masses. The violation of Swiss neutrality would open a door to a raid even as did the violation of Belgium at the beginning of the war.

Swiss Neutrality Unfriendly.

Entrance of Italy Into the Struggle Makes Swiss
Position Precarious.

General Switzerland, Jame 5—Will Switzerland become a second Belgium? Will this little state be able to maintain its neutrality? Will the service of various monarchs.

These two photographs show the famous citizen troops of the Swiss mountains. Above a column is seen proceeding through a very high valley, with a lackground of ice and snow covered mountains.

Almost incredible feats of endurance are performed by these troops. Below a Swiss field artillery buttery is seen at practice.

In Switzerland every man is a soldier. The military training is not so extensive as in Germany, but is considered very efficient. The Swiss have been noted fighters for many centuries and thousands of them have died as mercenaries in the service of various monarchs.

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Breach of 40 Years' Stand ing Believed Nearing a Close Now.

### POPE EAGER TO GET ON FRIENDLY TERMS

THE HAGUE NETHERLANDS, June 5.—Strange things have been brought about in Europe by the ng of which is the rumored healing of the breach between Holland and the Vatiens, Mgr. Noisns, lender of the Catholics in the second chamber of the Netherlanda has undertaken to go to Rome and all sorts of reports are current about the object of his mission. It is believed by interested Roman Catho Mgr. Nolens is in the interest of the resumption of diplomatic relations

# For Field Glasses; Race Followers Have Many

the north the Swines spink German and are French and The Holling Switzerland are French and The Holling Switzerland are French and the spinking of the war that flady entrance on the struggle would be followed shortly by the spinking and alone presents a parallel to the unanimity with which these people of diverse race stokes have so far stock together.

German Invasion Feered.

On the whole, even here, a German invasion is considered more likely than a violation of Swine neutrality by either France or Italy. There is that the precedent of Lixenburg and being German has in the archives of her wonderful great general staff at Berling Comman has in the archives of her wonderful great general staff at Berling Switzerland should this be adjusted expedient. The spinking spinking the precedent of this sort were made in 1875 at the time of a France-form many many are sains. The late planes from the world when the size and Meta, worked spinking the conquery of Satanies and Meta, worked spinking the spinking th Should France and Italy cut off train service into Switzerland and refuse to let food supplies come in from the outside world. Switzerland would starve, for it does not raise enough food to satisfy its own population, let alone the burden of 1,000,000 guests.

Baratte, Famous Paris

Night Resort, Closed

Paris, France, July 5.—The restainment of the quarter of the Central Markets, has been closed and will probably never be recopened. No resort in this world was better known to high livers and pleasure seekers of all climes.

# British Must Have Beer and Whiskey -:||:- -:||:- -:||:- -:||:-Races Also Are To Be Held This Year

### BY HERBERT TEMPLE.

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